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Dear [ ]

Received your letter a couple of days before I left Pasadena. Since July 19th I am here in Mexico City. First I had to present a general track development plan for the whole of Mexico which was accepted and is already being put to work. Also, I had to provide a complete plan for new track coaches' development. In the institute "Capacitación Deportiva" I have in my charge two hundred future track coaches. In the mornings I am busy coaching them; in the afternoons, including Saturdays and Sundays, I travel to different cities and towns to coach the athletes and give advice for track development. All track and other sports organizations are totally in the hands of the army. To my big surprise, just last Friday I was named the head track coach for the Mexican army, including all military schools in the country. This will my job till the general development plan will start to work. I can tell you, never in my life have I assisted to so many conferences and meetings, nor have I ever seen so many generals, including the Chief of Staff and Minister of Defense. In this short time I've found out that they will do anything possible to represent Mexico well in the '68 Olympics here in Mexico City.

My family is still in the U.S. and I believe they will come here after Christmas. [Did our friend come to Los Angeles for the big meet last week? I haven't heard from him since the last time I saw him in Palo Alto.]

Sincerely yours, 

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